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  Diogo M M; Ribeiro S C; Queiroz J A; Monteiro G A; Tordo N; Perrin P;
Prazeres D M
  Centro de Engenharia Biologica e Quimica, Instituto Superior Tecnico,
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BACKGROUND: The basic and applied research efforts devoted to the development of *DNA* vaccines must be accompanied by manufacturing processes capable of being scaled up and delivering a clinical-grade product. This work describes a rapid process of this kind, based on hydrophobic interaction chromatography (HIC) for the production of milligram quantities of an experimental *DNA* rabies vaccine. Its properties and protective activity are tested in comparison with the same *plasmid* *DNA* purified with a commercial kit. METHODS: The experimental *DNA* vaccine encoding the rabies virus glycoprotein was amplified in vivo in Escherichia coli. The *plasmid* was isolated by alkaline lysis, pre-purified and concentrated by isopropanol and (NH4)2SO4 precipitation, and purified by HIC and dialysis. Product quality was controlled...

... rabies-virus-neutral ng antibodies and the prot ion against an intracerebral virus challenge were tested in mice. RESULTS: One hundred and forty-two milligrams of the *plasmid*, with an HPLC purity greater than 99% were obtained from 4.5 l medium. Control analysis showed that the vaccine conforms to specifications in terms of impurities (endotoxins, genomic *DNA* , RNA, proteins). Furthermore, the final experimental vaccine induces rabies-virus-neutralising antibodies and protects mice against a rabies virus challenge. CONCLUSIONS: This study demonstrates that the method developed for the *purification* of milligram amounts of *plasmid* delivers an *endotoxin*-*free*, experimental rabies *DNA* vaccine, with protective activity similar to that obtained with the vaccine purified using a commercial kit.

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Reexamination of the effect of endotoxin on cell proliferation and transfection efficiency.

Butash K A; Natarajan P; Young A; Fox D K

Life Technologies, Rockville, MD, USA.

BioTechniques (UNITED STATES) Sep 2000, 29 (3) p610-4, 616, 618-9,

ISSN 0736-6205 Journal Code: 8306785 Document type: Journal Article

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Plasmid *DNA* purified from bacterial cells can be contaminated with *endotoxin* to different extents, depending on the *purification* method. Earlier reports indicate that *endotoxin* can decrease transfection efficiency in many eukaryotic cell lines; however, the amount of *endotoxin* required for inhibition is unclear. We determined *endotoxin* effects in several cell lines and observed that *endotoxin* levels greater than or equal to 10,000 *endotoxin* units (EU) were needed to significantly affect cell proliferation and viability; levels greater than 2000 EU/mu q *DNA* were required to significantly inhibit transfection for all but one *DNA* were required to significantly inhibit transfection for all but one (Huh-7) of the cell lines tested. These *endotoxin* levels are significantly higher than *endotoxin* contamination in *plasmid* *DNA* purified by anion exchange, CsCl2 gradient and *endotoxin*-*free* *purification* technology, but not as high as a crude alkaline lysis preparatory method. *Plasmid* *DNA* prepared using anion exchange technology was comparable to *endotoxin*-*free* technology in terms of transfection efficiency. Even Huh-7 cells, which are markedly more sensitive to endotoxins, have comparable transfection efficiencies using *plasmid* *DNA* purified by either of these two methods. We conclude that for those cell lines commonly used for transfection studies. *endotoxin*for those cell lines commonly used for transfection studies, *endotoxin*-*free*, quality *DNA* is not necessary because significantly higher levels of bacterial endotoxins are required to inhibit either cell proliferation or transfection.

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A new method for *endotoxin*-*free* *DNA*-*isolation* for unambiguous immune-cell transfection results.

AUTHOR: Weber M; Moeller K; Schorr J

AUTHOR ADDRESS: QIAGEN GmbH, Max-Volmer-Str. 4, 40724 Hilden**Germany JOURNAL: Molecular Biology of the Cell 7 (SUPPL.):p142A 1996 CONFERENCE/MEETING: Annual Meeting of the 6th International Congress on Cell Biology and the 36th American Society for Cell Biology San Francisco, California, USA December 7-11, 1996

ISSN: 1059-1524 RECORD TYPE: Citation LANGUAGE: English

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High-throughput method for *isolating* *plasmid* *DNA* with reduced *lipopolysaccharide* content.

Neudecker F; Grimm S

Max-Planck-Institute for Biochemistry, Martinsried, Germany.

BioTechniques (UNITED STATES) Jan 2000, 28 (1) p107-9, ISSN

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applications. In addition, we have implemented a precipation step that

total community *DNA* from soil.

The efficiency and reproducibility of *DNA* extraction from soil was tested for variations in lytic and *purification* treatments and their effect on yield and purity of *DNA*. The extraction yield was improved by increasing the concentration of EDTA or monovalent ions in *isolation* buffers, by the introduction of mechanical lysis treatments, and by the use of ethanol precipitation in place of PEG precipitation. Purity was improved using buffers...

... No lytic treatment was efficient on its own, the highest purity was achieved using Crombach buffer and a combination of bead-beating with lysozyme and *SDS* lysis followed by *potassium* *acetate* and PEG precipitation, phenol/chloroform *purification*, *isopropanol* precipitation, and spermine-HCl precipitation. Sonication sheared the *DNA* more than bead-beating. Lysozyme and *SDS* lysis without any mechanical treatments allowed *isolation* of larger fragments (40-90 kb). Denaturing gradient gel electrophoresis analysis of *DNA* isolated using a range of lytic treatments revealed alterations in band patterns which might reflect differences in the efficiency of lytic treatments.

Descriptors: *DNA*--*isolation and purification**--IP^ *Soil *; *Soil --analysis--AN; *Soil Microbiology

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PCR amplification of crude microbial DNA extracted from soil.

Yeates C; Gillings M R; Davison A D; Altavilla N; Veal D A

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A rapid, inexpensive, large-scale *DNA* extraction method involving minimal *purification* has been developed that is applicable to various soil types. *DNA* was extracted from 100 g of soil using direct lysis with glass beads and sodium dodecyl sulphate (*SDS*) followed by polyethylene glycol precipitation, *potassium* *acetate* precipitation, phenol extraction and *isopropanol* precipitation. The crude extract could be used in PCR directed at high-copy number (bacterial small subunit rRNA) and single-copy (fungal beta-tubulin) genes.

Descriptors: *DNA*--genetics--GE; **DNA*--*isolation and purification*
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--IP; Evaluation Studies; Genes, Fungal; RNA, Bacterial--genetics--GE; RNA,
Ribosomal, 16S--genetics--GE; Tubulin--genetics--GE

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A modified alkaline lysis method for the preparation of highly purified plasmid DNA from Escherichia coli.

Feliciello I; Chinali G

CEINGE, Dipartimento di Biochimica e Biotecnologie Mediche, IIa Facolta di Medicina e Chirurgia, Universita di Napoli, Italy.

Analytical biochemistry (UNITED STATES) Aug 1 1993, 212 (2) p394-401